

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-2 (Canceled)

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The heat-sealing film according to Claim 1, which comprises a biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate layer as the outer-most layer, a polyethylene resin layer as the second layer, a polyolefin type resin layer as the third layer and the sealant layer as the fourth layer, wherein (a) the polyethylene resin layer is disposed between the polyethylene terephthalate layer and the polyolefin type resin layer, and (b) the polyolefin type resin layer as being disposed between the polyethylene resin layer and the sealant layer, wherein the first, second, third and fourth layers are different.

Claim 4 (Original): The heat-sealing film according to Claim 3, which has antistatic treatment applied to at least one side.

Claims 5-6 (Canceled)

Claim 7 (Withdrawn): A process for producing the heat-sealing film as defined in Claim 3, which comprises a step of coating an AC agent on the biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate film of the outer-most layer, a step of extrusion-coating the polyethylene resin of the second layer, and a step of coextrusion-coating the polyolefin type resin layer of the third layer and the sealant layer of the fourth layer.

Claim 8 (Withdrawn): A process for producing the heat-sealing film as defined in Claim 3, which comprises a step of coating an AC agent on the biaxially oriented

polyethylene terephthalate film of the outer-most layer, and a step of extrusion-laminating a coextruded film comprising the polyolefin type resin layer of the third layer and the sealant layer of the fourth layer, via the polyethylene resin of the second layer.

Claim 9 (Withdrawn): A process for producing the heat-sealing film as defined in Claim 4, which comprises a step of coating an AC agent on the biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate film of the outer-most layer, a step of extrusion-coating the polyethylene resin of the second layer, a step of coextrusion-coating the polyolefin type resin layer of the third layer and the sealant layer of the fourth layer, and a step of applying antistatic treatment to at least one of the biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate layer surface and the sealant layer surface.

Claim 10 (Withdrawn): A process for producing the heat-sealing film as defined in Claim 4, which comprises a step of coating an AC agent on the biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate film of the outer-most layer, a step of extrusion-laminating a coextruded film comprising the polyolefin type resin layer of the third layer and the sealant layer of the fourth layer, via the polyethylene resin of the second layer, and a step of applying antistatic treatment to at least one of the biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate layer surface and the sealant layer surface.

Claim 11 (Withdrawn): The process for producing the heat-sealing film according to Claim 9, wherein corona discharge treatment is applied to at least the surface to be treated by antistatic treatment, prior to the step of applying antistatic treatment.

Claim 12 (Withdrawn): The process according to Claim 7, wherein all steps are carried out within one and the same line.

Claim 13 (Withdrawn): The process for producing the heat-sealing film according to Claim 10, wherein corona discharge treatment is applied to at least the surface to be treated by antistatic treatment, prior to the step of applying antistatic treatment.

Claim 14 (Withdrawn): The process according to Claim 8, wherein all steps are carried out within one and the same line.

Claim 15 (Withdrawn): The process according to Claim 9, wherein all steps are carried out within one and the same line.

Claim 16 (Withdrawn): The process according to Claim 10, wherein all steps are carried out within one and the same line.

Claim 17 (Withdrawn): The process according to Claim 11, wherein all steps are carried out within one and the same line.

Claim 18 (Withdrawn): The process according to Claim 13, wherein all steps are carried out within one and the same line.

BASIS FOR THE AMENDMENT

Claims 3-4 and 7-18 are active in the present application. Claims 1-2 and 5-6 have been canceled. Claims 7-18 are withdrawn claims. Claim 3 has been amended to require that the biaxially oriented polyethylene terephthalate layer, the polyethylene resin layer, the polyethylene type resin layer, and the sealant layer are different. Support for the amendment is found throughout the specification, for example, in the examples (e.g., paragraph bridging pages 11 and 12) wherein the four layers are different polymers. No new matter is believed to have been added by this amendment.